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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT
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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner dated April 11, 2002 rejecting Claims 30-41.

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